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For:

Method For Increasing The Perceived Resolution And

**Decreasing The Pixelisation Of An Image And Imaging** 

**Apparatus Used Thereby** 

#### INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 37 C.F.R. §1.51(b), §1.56, §1.97, and §1.98, this Information Disclosure Statement is submitted in the above-identified patent application. A listing of documents to be published on the face of any patent granted from this application is submitted herewith on Form PTO-1449. Any other documents or information submitted for consideration by the Examiner are listed in this paper.

# ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS OR INFORMATION NOT LISTED ON ACCOMPANYING FORM PTO-1449 SUBMITTED FOR CONSIDERATION

European Search Report dated April 11, 2005 in European patent application EP 05 07 5084.

#### **STATEMENT OF RELEVANCE**

All of the documents identified on the appended PTO-1449 form are identified in the European Search Report established in the counterpart European patent application EP 05 07 5084. The relevancy of the documents is apparent from the European Search Report.

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## **STATEMENT OF TIMELINESS**

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted prior to the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits received by Applicant in the above-identified application.

## **STATEMENT REGARDING TRANSLATIONS**

An English language copy of the abstract for EP0773668 is appended herewith. A full translation is not available to the Applicants' attorney.

The Examiner is requested to acknowledge consideration of the information provided in this paper in accordance with prescribed procedures.

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